

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & FARMERS WELFARE

LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO.23
TO BE ANSWERED ON 2ND DECEMBER, 2025

AGRICULTURAL SCHEMES

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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Minimum Support Prices (MSP) announced and procurement volumes for key crops in Warangal;
- (b) the details of irrigation projects and their status under Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY), including micro-irrigation coverage;
- (c) the details of crop insurance claims settled under Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY); and
- (d) the details of organic farming support provided through Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY) clusters?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI SHIVRAJ SINGH CHOUHAN)

- (a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (d) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 23* DUE FOR ANSWER ON 2ND DECEMBER,2025 REGARDING 'AGRICULTURAL SCHEMES'.

(a): Every year, Government fixes Minimum Support Price (MSP) for 22 mandated agricultural crops for the country as a whole based on the recommendations of Commission for Agricultural Costs & Prices (CACP), after considering the views of State Governments and Central Ministries/Departments concerned. The details of MSP of mandated crops are given at **Annexure I**. During 2024-25 (Crop year), 2.95 Lakh bales of Cotton and 15.56 Lakh metric tonnes of paddy have been procured in Warangal.

(b): The Government is implementing Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY) from the year 2015-16 with an aim to enhance physical access of water on farm and expand cultivable area under assured irrigation, improve on-farm water use efficiency, introduce sustainable water conservation practices etc. The components of PMKSY include Accelerated Irrigation Benefit Programme (AIBP), Har Khet Ko Pani (HKKP), Watershed Development Component (WDC) and Per Drop More Crop (PDMC) scheme.

Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare (DA&FW) is implementing Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Per Drop More Crop (PDMC) in the Country from 2015-16. PDMC focuses on enhancing water use efficiency at farm level through Micro Irrigation namely Drip and Sprinkler Irrigation Systems.

From the year 2015-16 to 2021-22, the PDMC was implemented as a component of Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY). From the year 2022-23, the PDMC is being implemented under the Pradhan Mantri Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (PM-RKVY).

- The Government provides financial assistance @ 55% for small and marginal farmers and @ 45% for other farmers for installation of Drip and Sprinkler systems under the PDMC. Besides some State Government also provide Top-up subsidy to farmers from their State Budget.
- The Assistance for installation of Micro Irrigation systems is limited to 5 hectares per beneficiary.

Total area of 106.75 lakh ha. has been covered under PDMC scheme as on 31.10.2025.

Detailed status of Accelerated Irrigation Benefit Programme (AIBP) and Har Khet Ko Pani (HKKP) are given at **Annexure-II**.

(c): Government has introduced Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY) and Weather Index based Restructured Weather Based Crop Insurance Scheme (WBCIS) from Kharif 2016 to provide financial support to farmers suffering crop loss/damage arising out of natural calamities, adverse weather incidence and to stabilize the income of farmers etc. Comprehensive risk insurance is provided under the scheme from pre-sowing to post-harvest losses. This scheme is voluntary for States and farmers as well. Achievements of the scheme during 2024-25 are given below:

(In Rs. crores)

Total Farmers application Insured (lakh)	Area Insured (lakh ha)	Sum Insured	Farmers Share in Premium	Paid Claims
1,514	622	2,80,629	3,335	12,256

(d): Organic farming is being promoted through Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY) in all the States/UTs except North Eastern States and Mission Organic Value Chain Development for North Eastern Region (MOVCDNER) for the North Eastern States since 2015-16. Both schemes stress on end-to-end support to farmers engaged in organic farming i.e. from production to processing, certification and marketing. Primary focus of the schemes is to form organic clusters, with preference to small and marginal farmers, to create a supply chain. Both the schemes are implemented through States /UT Governments. Under PKVY, assistance of Rs. 31,500 per ha in 3 years is provided for promotion of organic farming. Out of this, assistance of Rs. 15,000 per ha is provided to farmers through Direct Benefit Transfer for on- farm /off –farm organic inputs. Under MOVCDNER, assistance of Rs. 46,500/ha in 3 years is provided for creation of Farmers Producer Organization, support to farmers for organic inputs etc. Out of this, assistance @ Rs. 32500/ ha is provided to farmers for off -farm /on – farm organic inputs under the scheme including Rs. 15,000 as Direct Benefit Transfer to the farmers.

As on 31.10.2025, total area of 16.90 lakh hectares has been covered under PKVY Scheme benefitting 28.24 lakh farmers. Under MOVCDNER total area 2.36 lakh hectares has been covered benefitting 2.70 lakh farmers.

Annexure I

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 23* DUE FOR ANSWER ON 02.12.2025 REGARDING 'AGRICULTURAL SCHEMES'

Minimum Support Price**(Marketing Season-wise)****(₹/quintal)**

Sr. No.	Commodities	KMS 2025-26		Sr. No.	<u>RABI CROPS</u>	RMS 2026-27
	<u>KHARIF CROPS</u>			15	Wheat	2585
1	Paddy (Common)	2369		16	Barley	2150
	Paddy (Grade 'A')	2389		17	Gram	5875
2	Jowar (Hybrid)	3699		18	Masur	7000
	Jowar (Maldandi)	3749		19	Rapeseed & mustard	6200
3	Bajra	2775		20	Safflower	6540
4	Ragi	4886				
5	Maize	2400			<u>COMMERCIAL CROPS</u>	
6	Arhar	8000				2025-26
7	Moong	8768		21	Jute	5650
8	Urad	7800				2025
9	Cotton (Medium Staple)	7710		22	Copra (milling)	11582
	Cotton (Long Staple)	8110			Copra (ball)	12100
10	Groundnut	7263				
11	Sunflower Seed	7721				
12	Soyabean Yellow	5328				
13	Sesamum	9846				
14	Nigerseed	9537				

**KMS- Kharif Marketing Season, RMS- Rabi Marketing Season*

PMKSY- Accelerated Irrigation Benefit Programme (PMKSY-AIBP)

This component is being implemented by Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation (DoWR,RD&GR). Ninety-Nine (99) ongoing Major/Medium Irrigation Projects (MMI) (and 7 phases) with balance irrigation potential of 34.64 lakh hectare have been included under Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchai Yojna- Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (PMKSY-AIBP) during 2016-17 along with par-passu command area development in these projects.

13 nos. new irrigation projects with ultimate irrigation potential of 5.94 lakh hectare have been included under PMKSY 2.0 i.e. after March, 2021. In addition, Renuka ji, Lakhwar, Shahpur Kandi National Projects and relining of Rajasthan and Sirhind feeders are also being funded under PMKSY-AIBP.

Presently, 70 nos. Major and Medium irrigation projects have been completed under PMKSY-AIBP. Irrigation potential creation/restoration under this component since April, 2016 is 29.22 lakh hectare.

PMKSY- Har Khet Ko Pani (PMKSY-HKKP)

This component is being implemented by Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation (DoWR,RD&GR). 22.21 lakh hectare command has been developed under Command Area Development and Water Management sub-component of HKKP for ongoing PMKSY-AIBP project. Further, under Surface Minor Irrigation (SMI) and Repair, Renovation & Restoration (RRR) sub-components of HKKP, irrigation potential of 5.95 lakh hectare has been created/restored since 2016-17.
